



## **Request for Legislative Study Item: Statewide Jail Data**

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Utah Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice (CCJJ)

### **Request**

- CCJJ requests that legislative research examines the benefits and cost of creating a statewide jail database, repository, and/or census
- Database would hold information regarding:
  - Admissions and releases by date, admission type (e.g., unsentenced/pretrial vs. sentenced, COP, sanction, 72-hr hold, revocation), and offense category/severity
  - State ID (SID) number, OTN number, and booking/admission date for all offenders booked into or residing in the county jail

### **Areas of Benefits**

- **Tracking of Criminal Justice Reform (HB 348)**
  - Potential impact on jail populations as a result of reducing certain drug penalties (e.g., sentenced MA/MB drug offenders)
  - Distribution of resources, treatment
- **Other Efforts**
  - Recidivism analysis
  - Jail reimbursement
  - Pretrial reform/risk screening
  - Disproportionate minority contact with jails
- **Potential Secure Access for Other Criminal Justice Agencies**